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SUBJECT: AIRCRAFT AND LANDING FEES

REF: (A) ANKARA 6145; (B) ANKARA 5997

1. BASED ON INFORMATION PROVIDED REFTELS WE CONTINUE TO HOLD OPINION US IS EXEMPT FROM PAYMENT OF LANDING AND PARKING FEES UNDER PARA 2(I) OF 1954 TAX RELIEF AGREEMENT. ALTHOUGH FEES MAY HELP TO DEFRAID CERTAIN COSTS OF OPERATING AIRFIELDS, THEY DO NOT REPEAT NOT REPRESENT PAYMENT BY LANDING AIRCRAFT FOR SPECIFIC SERVICES RENDERED TO THAT AIRCRAFT. (PARA 11(F)) EXAMPLES WOULD BE SERVICING OR MAINTENANCE OF AIRCRAFT, OR TOWING CHARGES. FEES FOR USE OF FIXED FACILITIES SUCH AS NAVIGATIONAL AIDS AND RUNWAYS COME WITHIN CATEGORY OF FEES FROM WHICH US AIRCRAFT ARE EXEMPT UNDER PARA 2(I).

2. EMBASSY IS AUTHORIZED TO FOLLOW RECOMMENDATION PARA 5 REF(B) AS NOTED IN STATE 180949. EMBASSY REPRESENTATIONS TO FON OFF ON THIS SUBJECT SHOULD CONTINUE TO BE BASED ON 1954 TAX RELIEF AGREEMENT AND PARA 3 OF AIR TECHNICAL AGREEMENT, BOTH OF WHICH THE USG REGARDS AS IN FULL CONFIDENTIAL

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